

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Tara Ziolo, *et al.*
Group Art Unit: 3733
Examiner: Jerry L. Cumberledge
Title: BONE FIXATION DEVICE
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2008, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.